

# THE EMPRESS EXPRESS

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## WHEN TO CUT WHEAT

Seeger Wheeler writes stating that during an extended trip through the country, judging in the standing fields of grain competition, he was surprised to find the majority of farmers undecided as to the proper time at which to safely cut their wheat. This is an old season, and grain is ripe when the straw would indicate. Seeger Wheeler's advice about cutting is as follows:—

"Don't wait for the straw to ripen this season. Examine the berry. If the smooth side of the berry shows an amber or yellow shade it is ready to cut. If the berry is still green it will shrink somewhat, but when the berry is turned a slight yellow color, and when squeezed a small drop of water comes out and no milk, it is fit to cut. At this stage it will mature by drawing on the green straw. This should be done this year regardless of the color of the straw. In another off season I know of, the grain was red and dry while the straw was still green, while in another season, the opposite to the present while the straw was cut and dry the berry was still green.—Grain Growers Guide.

## CANADA

My country, where my fairer  
Lies'neath the shining sun?  
O'er oceans, far o'er oceans,  
They praise loudly sung.  
Here lives within thy borders  
A people truly great—  
Oh, Canada, my country,  
For these large honors wait!

The world so old and hardened,  
Is bowing at thy feet,

And sending you her peoples  
Within thy gates to meet.

To trim thy forests mighty  
And plant your western lands,  
Delve in your mines for minerals  
With willing, helping hands.

Before thee lies a future  
All full of what is best,  
But you must build a nation  
To stand the strain and test.

Makes broad your education  
To reach and take in all;  
Their narrow and sectarian  
Or you must surely fail.

Within thy borders brothers  
Of French and English race,  
The sons of these are holding  
Within thy gates high place.

Be careful, then, in guiding  
This nation, eye you rule,  
No time for idle jesting,  
Too precious now to fool.

For pouring in the peoples  
From every foreign land,  
They offer you their labors  
Their money and their hand.

You must provide them freedom  
Their rights you must observe,  
Stick to what is the truly great  
Nor from their greed deserve awe.

Then Canada, my country,  
God's chosen land this sure,  
Live to your high-born standard  
Great tests you must endure.

Too good for thee there's nothing  
Then hold your standard high,  
Unfurl your flag, Oh Canada,  
Great breezes passing by.

God bless thee noble Canada  
With all its richest gifts,  
Land of the sunny summer skies  
And also winter's drifts.

Be true to all the best there is  
To that that's good and grand,  
Within thy bounds from sea  
To sea, through length and breadth  
Of land.

D. H. HAMMOND

Lachute, Aug. 21, 1900.

## Issue Debentures For Brick School House

The bylaw for the issue of \$17,000.00 for the erection of a new school house has met with no opposition from the ratepayers. The matter has now been placed before the board of Public Utility Commissioners for their approval. The proposed schoolhouse is a two-story brick structure containing four rooms, and having full basement. Each room will accommodate forty-two pupils. Heat will be furnished by warm air. Should occasion arise, additions may be made, making a twelve room schoolhouse. The building proposed at present will be 40ft. x 70ft., by about 20 ft. high. The plans are approved by the Department of Education, Edmonton. A similar building is at present under construction by the Big Valley School District. The architect is Mr. A. M. Jeffries, of Edmonton, who was formerly Provincial Architect.

Any surplus money which may be left over after construction is completed, will be devoted to fencing and improvement of school grounds.

Extra school accommodation has been badly needed for a considerable time. As one of the most progressive towns of the northwest, the time has arrived for the providing of school accommodation by Empress in keeping with her position. The trustees are of the opinion, that a building on the lines proposed will assure the town of an economical and at the same time thoroughly representative school.

## Panacea Pars

Here we are again, after two weeks hard and heavy, down on the farm.

The farmers smile, around Panacea is very infectious. Everybody's doing it. No wonder, there is sure heavy grain in this district, and all in shock too.

We expect two threshing rigs from Empress to help in threshing operations. Mr. Tucker and Mr. McIntyre are trying to get some "Gentlemen," the goods are here if you come in time.

The soldier boys are a big help at harvest time. Thomas has her men back, and they look hearty and well. It is very early to get the boys.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Ferguson were business visitors at Empress last Saturday.

There is some stir in town Saturday night—since the post-bag has been delivered. Don't try to string the owner. He's some shark. He sure knows the rules.

At the big dance last Wednesday night, everybody was completely all in at midnight. It's a little too hard the light fan taste right after setting up some of the shavers the binders are throwing out this fall. Better give the boys another before the 10th.

The gypsies got a few easy ones last Saturday, and got off with a five spot to the good.

Mr. and Mrs. Lundie have moved into their new cottage. They seem thoroughly satisfied with the work done. No wonder. The first man on the job was a Canadian, 2nd Scotchman,

## BINDLOSS

Lumber is coming in rapidly, but the farmers are taking it away as fast as it can be unloaded.

A small crew have arrived and are making preparations for the construction of the new elevator.

Mr. Frank Phillips has now received his automobile. But we hope it won't bubble. But we expect Frank will soon be riding it auto-ne-double.

Farm labor seems short in this district. Several farmers have to cut part of the time and then change off for shock-riding. Wonder which job they like best.

Mr. Frank Breckon has been delayed in cutting his crop. What two weeks ago, and by golly, the crop was so heavy that the old binder would not take it. Frank had to beat it to Empress for a new one.

Last Thursday rain stopped cutting from proceeding. It will be only a short while now before cutting is through in this district. Some of our neighboring districts are not quite so fortunate, some crops are not ready even now.

One very heavy crop is that of Mr. Stanley Staples. His farm is literally covered with wheat sheaves. Farmers, undoubtedly it would be worth while learning Stanley's method of raising crops?

A remarkable incident occurred last week, and a similar incident was repeated about a week later. Miss Dorothy Chesney was out bunting up the cows when she was chased by a coyote. The second time, however, it was something else that gave Miss Chesney "gooseflesh." It was a big timber wolf. She went back home on the full gallop, the wolf at her heels trying hard to make a closer acquaintance. She reached the house in safety.

3rd Englishman, 4th American Irishman.

The bull's eye restaurant is all ready for business, as soon Charlie got the ceiling done. He had had four days at it now. Some people say that he twisted his arm and sawed to Banff.

Harold Dick has left the Panacea Store and Yard job and has returned to Empress.

## Railway Strike Called Off

As soon as the Senate, at Washington, by a vote of 243 to 128 passed the Adams Bill, other than the Senate and the House of Representatives, required to operate and maintain the two ferry at Empress, any way near borrow the money? You will note the remarks of Mr. Blodgett re this, and would such a scheme be practicable? Personally I doubt it. The Municipality might be made liable but I can't see how the merchants could be tied up, and don't like the scheme at all.

You will also note that part of the letter referring to a time when a delegation can meet the Government. This seems to me like a big expense to put these farmers to. However, they have asked for a date, and I will have to answer them, so please consider that part of the letter carefully.

## The Red Deer River Traffic Bridge

Communications Received by Secretary of the Board of Trade

The following letters regarding the important matter of a traffic bridge across the Red Deer River have been received by Secretary Blodgett of the Board of Trade. The letters are very favorable and should have the interest of all concerned. We know how badly a bridge is needed, and we have got to keep at it until we are given attention and the needed improvement is made:

C. D. Mackintosh, C.P.R. Superintendent, Medicine Hat

Dear Sir:

I have your letter of August 32nd regarding proposed traffic bridge, Empress, and have taken the matter up with our management to find out if they have any old steel bridge suitable for your purpose that they can dispose of.

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Letter of C. S. Pingle, M.L.A.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find copy of letter to the Minister of Public Works in reply to your letters, Mr. Henderson's telegram, and the paper, all of which I received in due course.

I have on all occasions brought to the attention of the Government the necessity of this bridge, and intend keeping right after them until we have made them build it.

As soon as I receive word back in reply to my letter I will take the matter up further with you.

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Letter of C. S. Pingle, M.L.A., to Hon. Chas. Stewart, Minister of Public Works

Dear Sir:—

Enclosed herewith please find letters, telegram, paper etc. which, very fully review the Empress bridge question. I have sent them on to you so you will see the persistent manner in which the people of Empress keep after me regarding this matter. I suppose Mr. McGill is also receiving requests from his people, who are really more to be considered than the Empress business men.

Would the present expense, to the Alberta and Saskatchewan Governments, required to operate and maintain the two ferry at Empress, any way near borrow the money? You will note the remarks of Mr. Blodgett re this, and would such a scheme be practicable? Personally I doubt it. The Municipality might be made liable but I can't see how the merchants could be tied up, and don't like the scheme at all.

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To finish with, it is not necessary for me to go into the

## A LOOK AROUND

A sigh of relief will undoubtedly escape from most of our farmers when the cutting is through, and they can say, "We are safe."

Think of the suspense that that grain farmer lives through. To start off he has spring work and seeding, breaking, and cutting the four of horses and cattle, the fear of hail and storms, cutting and shocking, the hauling of his grain to the elevator, and last his fall ploughing and general work.

Looking through the country here, south of the Red Deer River, we have unfolded to our eyes the results of four years of continuous work. Viewing these homesteads, pre-emption and scrips, etc., one cannot but praise the farmers of this vicinity. Their hard work and endurance is reflected in the progress they have accomplished.

Now, with the big crop ahead of them, they can look back with pride on the years that have passed, remembering the early years of the hot sun and winds. When the farmers talked of the dry belt, which has now turned into one of the most prosperous of countries.

But because we have seen such years of hardship and worries. Because we know it is possible that they may come back some day, it is well to go a little slow and be thoroughly in what we do. So, if it should happen that these days are returned, we would be able to stand the pressure, and face such days well-prepared.

This country has progressed rapidly. The C.P.R. has cut its way through these lands where once the buffalo made their home. Post offices have been established and grain elevators erected. Stores are making their appearance, and farming and other industrial lines are progressing at a rapid rate.

But this terrible war has intervened to a great extent. Roads are neglected. Shorter and quicker communication is delayed. But with the world once more at peace, we believe we have the country worth while living in.

Desirability of the Government building this bridge. I think you and the Department both understand it is very necessary, especially now that another bumper crop is guaranteed for this section of the country. From all reports the crop is as large as it was last year, most of which, on account of lack of transportation, is still in the country. Therefore I would again ask you to seriously consider the building of this bridge this coming year.

Please let me know your views upon the letters, so I will be able to further take the matter up with the Empress Board of Trade.

A letter from J. H. McGill, member for Acadia, telling the farmers what he is doing, or prepared to do in this matter, would be an asset at this time.—Ed.

Too Late for Classification  
Wanted.—Two ladies request cook's union with their bread and—For parties apply to City Meat Market.

## CORRESPONDENCE

The Express accepts no responsibility for the opinion of correspondents published as communications to the editor.

To the Editors of The Express.

Will you please ask the Councilors if carpenter work, such as the tank, etc., are let by tender? If not, why not? Is there not several carpenters paying rent in our village?

As a ratepayer I would like to know.

Yours Truly,  
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We are agents for Mitchell Nursery. Special rates on plantation orders, also to clubs of four farmers or more. Make your farm a place worth while.—The Express Express.

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Any person wishing further information may write to Wm. Engelbrecht, at Empress, Alta. or Vaporizer will be sent on receipt of price.

## BUSINESS LOCALS

Farmers, if you require farm labor see Wm. Engelbrecht.

Dr. M. Mecklenburg, the well-known, experienced and highly commended optician, is coming again to Brown's Drug Store on September 22-25.

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Typewriters, typewriter supplies, counter check books, all kinds of printed and commercial stationery, etc., call or write us.—The Express Express

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EMPRESS, ALTA., THURSDAY, SEP. 7, 1916

## SUBSCRIBE TO CANADA'S WAR LOAN

The announcement has been made by the Dominion Government that a second war loan will be issued shortly. This loan will be restricted to the people of Canada, being purely a domestic loan. A general response to the invitation to subscribe is to be earnestly hoped for. In order to put them within the reach of the great majority of people, bonds will be issued in denominations of \$100 and upwards. If this loan is to be the success looked for it must not be left to the banks, insurance companies and other corporations to subscribe in their hundreds of thousands, but everyone who has something put aside for a rainy day should take what they can of the loan. The security is the credit of the country we live in. The rate of interest, probably 5 per cent. free from taxes.

Do not shrink from participating in the loan from fear of too many formalities. There are practically none. Go to the bank and tell them that you wish to subscribe to the loan. They will hand you a form to sign and take your money. In due course you will receive your bond. The bond you receive will be from the Dominion of Canada, undertaking to pay you so much on a specified date, and interest every half year. The bond can be registered in your name at Ottawa, when a check will be sent you for interest when due, or it can be payable to the bearer and attached to it will be coupons which you will cut off when due; and any bank will cash them without charge.

If you should wish to get your money back, for some purpose or other, before due send the bond to some reliable broker to sell. This he will do without delay and send you payment immediately. For this there will be

the small charge of 25c. per one hundred dollars.

There is no reason why the people of Canada should not invest their savings in these bonds, as is the custom in other countries. This form of saving is very prevalent among the French people, where everyone has a "stocking," the stocking usually taking the form of "bonds" or "rentes" as they are called there.

There is no, quicker way to take the life, growth, and energy out of a town than for its citizens to be constantly holding up the dark side of the picture to the gaze of the inquirer. The word "if" keeps everyone in doubt; and doubt keeps every man from going forward with the improvements he would otherwise make. There is nothing like confidence to make a success of anything, and if you haven't got any of it, don't communicate the fact to your neighbor, much less to a stranger, and if the bent of your mind is to continually go against every interest of the town in which you live, for the sake of the town get out of it, and go to some place that is already lifeless and has no interests at stake, where you, like the old lady's root beer, if you don't do any good you won't do any hurt.

## NOT ENOUGH

Little Tommy was very late for Sunday School.

"Tommy," said the Parson, "how is it you are so late this afternoon?"

"Well, sir," said the boy: "I wanted to go fishing, but my father wouldn't let me."

"I am very glad to hear it, Tommy," said the parson, "and, of course, your father told you why it was wrong to go fishing on Sunday?"

"Yes, sir, he did; he said 'there wasn't enough bait for two.'"

The injunction to love your neighbor as yourself, means the neighbor in trouble as well as the other who has a big automobile.

The road to success is paved with good advertisements.

How lucky it is that the man in the moon is blind.

Changes of advertisement must be in this office by Monday noon of each week, otherwise change will be held over until the following week.

We have received a subscription list from the Herald, Calgary, for the Tobacco Fund for Canadian Soldiers at the front. All wishing to subscribe may do so at the "Express" office. Amount of donations and names will be published in the "Express" and also the "Herald."

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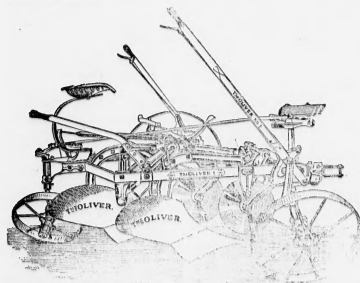
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Suicide at Jenner

There was a wild West skit  
staged at Jenner last week. It  
seems that when a homesteader,  
named Knudsen, was returning  
to his shack in the evening  
was driven away from it by an  
unknown occupant who flour-  
ished a gun. Corporal Hutch-  
ings and Constable McPherson,  
of Jenner, were notified and  
attempted to secure the occu-  
pant, but were met with gun  
fire. No one was hit, however,  
and when the officers did get  
into the house they found the  
outlaw had shot himself and  
was lying on the floor. He ap-  
pears to have been an Austrian.  
He was unknown in the dis-  
trict. — News, Alderson.

A coyote and an antelope  
were recently shot in Medicine  
Hat, and it is believed by some  
of the neighboring burgs, that  
in a few years from now Medi-  
cine Hat men will be wearing  
feathers in their hair and the  
women teting their babies  
on their backs. — Herald, Swift  
Current.

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IS IT DUE?

# Room Nineteen

BY FLORENCE WARDEN

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(Continued)

It was obviously not a question which she could put to Mr. Fryer's clerk, so, mindful of the anxiety of the man with the fair beard, who should go at once to the Hotel Mandeville, she went out at the middle room, after a last look at the victim of the brutal attack to assure herself that he was still breathing.

"He's done for," said the clerk, as he cast his look of consternation at the man who could be seen, under Mabin's impromptu bandages, of the scarred and bleeding head of the prostrate man.

"You can't tell yet; you must hear what the doctor says," said Mabin, as she wrote her name and address, with a trembling hand, on a corner of the office blotting-paper.

She ran down the stairs, down the staircase, through narrow dark passages, and reached the street in a few moments.

Hailing a taxicab, she gave the address of the Hotel Mandeville, and got in, still much disturbed with questions as to whether she was doing the right thing in not going to the scene of the assault, even at his request, in a place where she had suffered such deliberately brutal treatment.

Again and again the doubt occurred to her as to whether his assailant would prove to be the tenant of the office.

With a woman's tendency to jump to conclusions, Mabin was sure that there was something suspicious about that office and its occupant, the man who advertised for a typist and was not at the office to receive applications, the man who had been seen by her eyes, so oddly, about the man with the fair beard, and who had been the reason for his visit.

The clerk had declared that the use of the office had been given for an interview between two people to whom it did not belong.

On the other hand, supposing the assailant to have been the man, Mr. Fryer—would not he have told him of her presence in the suite?

In that case, surely, he would have ventured to attack his visitor, and he had, according to the man, been no witness about.

Witness! That she could scarcely be said to be. But she could not see the face of the assailant she had heard his voice, and she was sure that she would be able to recognize him again, to distinguish him from the voices of a thousand other men.

And then came the final question: that she done right in following the explicit directions of the wounded man himself, and in following his helpless and unconscious, in the hands of a person who looked like a brute, bravely, as she afterwards learned.

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"Oh, yes, I know," And turning round, she said, "You are the manager."

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"This is Room Nineteen, ma'am," he said.

And promptly he went away, leaving her alone in a bedroom of fairly large size, furnished heavily in an old-fashioned but comfortable manner.

Mabin was astonished at the ease with which she had been admitted, and wondered what that and where this treasure of which she was in search would prove to be.

She looked round her—at the mahogany wardrobe, with its heavy carved at the window, at the big, old-fashioned mahogany bed, at the big, old-fashioned mahogany chair.

But her eyes wandered no further. An exclamation of surprise escaped her lips as she perceived that the bed was occupied. Outside the counterpane, wraped in a traveling rug, there lay, last night, a beautiful boy of about four years of age, who had been in curling rings on his little olive-green curls, which bore the marks of recent tears.

## CHAPTER III.

The child was so fast asleep that the little cry uttered by Mabin did not wake him. In a traveling rug, sleep, and in doing so exposed to view the head of a large, high-crowned, red-tinted, well-fitted, and apparently being when he fell asleep.

By the movement, he at the same time made it plain to Mabin to get a good look at his face.

He was an exceedingly pretty child, with a face of a painter's beauty, his eyes were large and dark, and his hair was of the coarse robustness of the peasant child. His face was naturally into a mass of short, curly curls, and between his parted lips

Mabin could see a glimpse of little teeth that gleamed like pearls. Was he English? She did not know. He was not at all like the man with the fair beard, whose passionate solicitude on the child's behalf, she remembered, was to his being the boy's father.

Seeing, as she did, nothing of the child but the head, Mabin was sure that she had at once decided that it was a boy, long before any other reason would displace the rug and displayed to view a boy's blouse of stout cloth and little breeches to correspond.

But the fact that the boy, for all his beauty, was masculine as to type, so that his curls did not suffice to give him a girlish look.

Mabin was fascinated and perturbed. What did the fair-haired man mean by sending her here? Surely he did not expect her to make her guardian of this child? Yet what union to go at once to Room Nineteen of his hotel she could imagine.

Surely, she thought, no human being had ever before been in such an extraordinary situation as this: there she was, apparently appointed guardian of a child she had never seen before, whose very nature she did not know, and whose position she could not tell.

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## Proposals for Peace

Germany Must Accept, Not Impose, Terms of Peace

What may be fairly regarded as the latest German official statement of peace terms are to be found in an article by Professor Hugo Muenterberg in the magazine, *Die Zeit*, of the New York Times. The professor is a German by birth, and, since the outbreak of the war, he has frequently appeared as the philosophical champion of the Teutonic position.

It is not, therefore, stretching of credulity too far to assume that Muenterberg is having some touch of inspiration from Berlin. What, then, are the terms which his opinion Germany would accept?

Germany, he says, will not demand a square foot of the conquered territory in France or Belgium. She will agree to surrender Kia-Chiao to Japan and Southwest Africa to Great Britain. In return she would expect to receive Courland from Russia and the Baltic provinces from Germany.

Belgium and Portugal. Poland may be made a kingdom again and connected with Austria. Bessarabia would go to Rumania, while Russia would keep German East Asia, and all of Persia and perhaps Afghanistan.

France might get the part of the Atlantic coast, and the rest of the country would be expected to give in exchange for the rest of the country.

This is the main outline of his proposals. It is not, however, a mere list of demands, but a statement of the examination will show that in reality it gives Germany everything. She would get the rest of the country, and she would get the rest of the country.

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## Best Roads in the World

Value of Good Roads to a Farming Community Is Shown in

France

In France, where they have the best roads of any country in the world, the highways are divided into three classes, but all of them are supervised by the national government, which maintains a bureau of roads and bridges, and supports a school for the education of the engineers and inspectors who are employed in this bureau. This method of control is the best in the world.

France was started by the first National Road Law, which has been the first European statute which clearly saw the economic advantage of proper highways, and who at the same time had the power to carry out what he wished. The effect of these good roads in France has been to reduce the cost of transportation of goods to a minimum.

France is the only country in Europe where the agricultural class is not in a disadvantage, and where they do not feel that they have a burden to carry. They have a good road, and they have a good road.

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